

MUST BURY HATCHETS

EUROPE IS VERY SICK AND MUCH WISDOM NEEDED

Special Cable to the Montreal Gazette, by Sir Philip Gibbs. London, Sept. 30.—No man, unless he is blind or drunk with optimism, can deny that Europe at the present time, is very sick. During the past year I have visited many countries of Europe, and in most of them under the surface of social gaiety, the appearance of normal life, and apparent recovery from the wounds of war, I have found a sense of impending ruin and dreadful anxiety of the future.

K. C. PROVIDE MONEY FOR POPE

MORE LIGHT THROWN ON PROTESTANT ACTIVITY IN CATHOLIC COUNTRIES OF EUROPE

Rome, Sept. 6.—Offers of immediate monetary subscriptions in aid of the work which the Holy Father has requested the Knights of Columbus to undertake in combating the anti-Catholic propaganda in Europe were made at the banquet given here by the Knights in honor of Monsignor Cerretti. The desire of the Holy Father was one of the principal subjects of conversation at the dinner and was referred to by many of the speakers, notably Supreme Knight Fishery, who declared that he looked upon the Pope's appeal as a command.

PROMPT ACTION

Washington, Sept. 13.—Prompt action on the part of the Knights of Columbus in responding to the appeal of the Holy Father to aid in combating pernicious propaganda is evidence that American Catholics, fully realizing the danger, are ready to spring to the assistance of those of their faith in far countries.

MENACE ACUTE

And that the menace to the Church in Europe is acute there is no gain saying. Fresh evidence of the tactics of the evangelical missionaries who are attempting to take advantage of the stricken countries to carry on the work of proselytism is brought by every mail steamer. Not only in France and Italy, where the activities of the cloud of proselytizers are most offensive, but in Poland, Hungary, Turkey, the Balkan States, and Armenia, the development of religious propaganda under the cloak of charity, and with a lavish expenditure of money continues.

OTHER SCENES OF ACTIVITY

Now are the efforts of the Protestants and other groups confined to Europe. Asia is not free of them and it is common knowledge that every country in America from the Rio Grande to Tierra del Fuego is being made the scene of their feverish activity.

French Catholics writers have recently been lamenting the fact that with the removal of the Knights of Columbus and the National Catholic War Council from Europe, the only American Catholic influence that could have counteracted this work are gone. France, they openly declare, would much rather be left alone than be left to pay the price which is not disinterested. The tactics of the Methodists, particularly, they declare, are putting all America in bad odor with the French. The French peasants object to these unwelcome visitors poking their fingers into his sacred home life under the guise of charity.

LAVISH EXPENDITURES

But many of the Catholic countries of Europe are not in the favorable position of the French and cannot well resist the offers of material assistance which these false prophets are able to make so lavishly. In Poland, the new Catholic nation had first to combat an infamous campaign of the Jews who accused the Government of expropriations and of manacering their coreligionists. Certain New York papers, indeed, spoke of thousands and thousands of victims. But it has been proved that these so-called pogroms were mere inventions.

PAMPHLETS FOR HUNGARY

Now comes the new menace of evangelism. The emissaries of Protestantism are everywhere, distributing food, clothing and money, but above all their literary products—the books and pamphlets which tend to sap the faith of their readers. In connection with the American Red Cross, the Lutherans have distributed in Poland more than two millions of such pamphlets.

AMERICAN MONEY

In Hungary and in Roumanian Transylvania the sects comprise about 4,000,000 adherents, the majority Presbyterians or Lutherans. This year the delegate of the League of Protestant Magyars, M. Jenn Pelonyi, was received officially by the Federal Council of the Churches of America to whom he came to solicit moral and financial help. "The Council decided to examine the situation and voted \$25,000 to distribute among the Protestant pastors of the country. Recently La Croix of Paris announced that plans were being made for the construction of a Lutheran seminary in Budapest and that a delegation of American Protestant ministers had been officially received by the prime minister.

WITHOUT SCRUPLES

In Greece, Bulgaria, Roumania and Serbia—particularly in Serbia—the activities of the relief distributing proselytizers is marked by an attitude typical of that of conquerors towards a conquered people. They work with audacity and without scruples.

NOISY PROPAGANDA

In Armenia the thousands of children in orphanages financed by American money are being brought up as Protestants. The Catholic authorities there have protested frequently at the proselytism which

goes on in the name of charity. So convinced have the Armenian people become that their material salvation is largely the result solely of Protestant effort, due to the noisy propaganda of those who conduct it in the manner in which the Red Cross relief has fallen into their hands, that the schismatic bishop of the National Armenian Church and the moderator of the Evangelical Armenian Alliance recently expressed to the Protestant Churches, in an official message, the thanks of their coreligionists for the sympathy and generosity of America in coming to their aid. This despite the fact that the aims received by the Red Cross came as well from Jews and Catholics as from Protestants.

AMERICAN CATHOLICS ALERT NOW

The request of Pope Benedict, made to the Knights of Columbus, promises to quicken the interest of America in the condition of the Catholics of the countries which are most infested by the proselytizers.

NERVOUS TOM WATSON

ANTI-CATHOLIC BIGOT GOES TO JAIL

Tom Watson, the most virulent of the anti-Irish and anti-Catholic bigots in the South, has been shown up in his true colors by an incident which occurred recently in a hotel in Georgia which resulted in Watson's being placed in the county jail at Buford, Ga., charged with "public indecency." Although a candidate for the United States Senate in Georgia on the Democratic ticket, Tom Watson spent the night of August 18 in the county jail and was released on \$500 bail after a conference with the Democratic candidate for governor and the Democratic candidate for Congress. The following is the full report of the affair by the Associated Press.

JAILED FOR PUBLIC INDECENCY

Buford, Ga., August 19.—Thomas E. Watson, candidate for the Democratic nomination for United States Senator from Georgia, together with his travelling companion, E. M. Miller, were released this morning from the Gwinnett County Jail, where they spent the night as the result of a disturbance in a local hotel.

Watson was charged with "public indecency" in the book at the jail, while Miller was charged with "carrying concealed weapons." Watson's bond was placed at \$500 and that of Miller at \$1,000. Watson was also charged with having liquor in his possession. Sheriff J. R. Shadburn says he found a supply of whisky in Watson's room.

Watson and Miller agreed to leave the jail after a conference with Thomas W. Hardwick, former Senator and candidate for governor, and John J. Kelly, candidate for Congress, who arrived here early today. Mr. Watson announced that he would cancel his speaking engagements for the rest of the week, including one scheduled for Buford today.

Hardwick and Kelley took Watson to his home at Thomson to recuperate. Watson appeared to be under great nervous strain.

HOW HE GOT INTO TROUBLE

Watson, clad only in his undergarments (summer variety) appeared in the hallway of the hotel and hurled a book at a group of travelling men about 9 o'clock last night, Sheriff Shadburn said. The candidate shouted that they were "paid" by his political opponents to disturb his rest, according to the sheriff, and more words by the candidate followed, while Miss Sally Willy, proprietor of the Hotel, Winfield Rowe, a Buford merchant, and others sought to quiet Watson.

DREW GUN ON OFFICERS

In the struggle in the hallway and during the attempt of Night Marshal L. D. Dawson to arrest Watson, Miller also was arrested, it being alleged by the marshal that the man drew a pistol and threatened to intervene against the officers.

WATSON'S WHIMPERING DEFENSE

Watson returned to his room at the hotel where he later issued a written statement. He said: "After my nervous collapse in Florida two years ago it has been necessary at times for me to take a stimulant after extraordinary exertion. I have been addressing enormous crowds, and acting on the advice of my physician, Dr. Thomas R. Wright, I have been taking small amounts of stimulants after extraordinary exertion.

TAKES SIP TO DRIVE OFF HEAT

"At Winder on Wednesday I addressed an enormous crowd, speaking directly under a heavy warehouse roof. Almost all of the speakers at Winder were overcome with the heat. Seeing this, a friend of mine at Winder gave me a small bottle of whisky, from which he had taken several drinks and from which I took only two, one at Winder and one at Buford as I went to bed after having eaten for the first time during the whole day.

"The noise of the gentlemen who were playing cards in the lobby came directly into my room. I stepped out of my room to the lobby rail and tossed a book down to attract their attention, saying that the loud conversation of the card players made it impossible for me to sleep.

APOLOGIZES TO THE LADY

"During this conversation I did not see the proprietress at any time. I returned to my room.

"To my utter astonishment and without being told of what offense I was accused, I was seized by two powerful policemen, with whom I struggled for liberty, as they did not tell me my offense and did not exhibit any warrant.

"I was not aware of having disturbed anyone except the gentlemen playing cards. I was not aware that the landlady was anywhere near.

"In the struggle with the policemen my underclothing was torn and disarranged through no fault of mine. Of course, when I was being treated that way, I used some pretty rough language, having no knowledge of the presence of the lady. I apologize to her profusely for saying anything she may have heard."

ST. JOHN AND FOREIGN MISSIONS

The shortest book of the New Testament, the Third Epistle of St. John, contains the following important advice concerning the necessity and advantage of assisting missionaries to the heathen. St. John urges Gaius, to whom he wrote this letter, to continue his faithful work of helping the missionaries to the Gentiles. Here are his words:

"Beloved, thou dost a faithful work in whatsoever thou dost towards them that are brethren and strangers without whom thou wilt do well to set forward on their journey in a manner worthy of God: because for His Name's sake they went forth, taking nothing of the Gentiles. We therefore ought to support such, that we may be fellow-workers for the truth."

To teach the heathen Jesus (for there is no other Name under heaven given to men where by we must be saved) these missionaries had set out. Gaius had helped missionaries before, and they had given testimony to his charity in the sight of the Church. Again they are appealing to him, though strangers to him. St. John exhorts Gaius to equip them for their missionary work in a manner worthy of their dedication to the service of God. The reason they needed assistance was that these missionaries followed the wise rule of not asking or even accepting anything from the heathen or heathen whom they proposed to convert to Jesus Christ. This financial disinterestedness on the part of the missionaries could not fail to impress their heathen hearers with the sincerity of their motives. Even today, while it is not always necessary to enforce this rule in all its rigor, to ask the uncovered heathen and the neophytes to support all the expenses of a mission, would expose a mission to failure. Christians must bear the expenses of missionaries to the heathen, and above all, they must bear the expenses of educating and equipping such missionaries.

Hence St. John's general conclusion: "We therefore ought to support such, that we may be fellow-workers for the truth."

Now St. John's meaning is only partially conveyed by the ordinary translations one sees of the first part of the above quoted verse. The Rheims version, like all early English versions from Wycliffe to the King James inclusively, translates thus: "We therefore ought to receive such, that is receive them in our houses for the purpose of helping them." The Anglican Revisers, abandoning the apolambanein of the Greek Textus Receptus for the more correct hypolambanein, seek to express the special nuance conveyed by this word, by translating it welcome. We welcome the missionaries to help them. Yet the full content of St. John's thought is not adequately rendered by either of these translations. The missionaries are not merely to be received and welcomed, they are also to be equipped that they may continue their work in a worthy manner. Hence the rendering of the Latin Vulgate, namely, suscipere that is, support, is the correct one. We must contribute to their support that they may be able to continue their work. The object and advantage, and reward of supporting such missionaries is "that we may be fellow-workers for the truth." We partake of their work and hence share in its merits without having to leave our own homes.

St. John the Apostle wrote this epistle, under the inspiration of the Holy Ghost, to Gaius, a Christian of some means who was noted for his generosity towards missionaries. But the advice was not for him alone. It is intended for all Christians similarly placed, unto the end of time. For this little letter is part of Holy Scripture, and "it is profitable to teach, to prove to correct, to instruct in justice." Canadians in this year of grace 1920, and in each succeeding year, should fulfil their duty of supporting missionaries to the heathen. Across the Pacific Ocean from Canada lies the most important mission field in the world—the continent of Asia. In that huge continent, the largest and most promising mission field is China. To support, and as in the case of Gaius, continue to support, the Canadian missionaries who are preparing to go to China from the China Mission College at Almonte is the practical application of the advice given us by the Holy Ghost through the Beloved Disciple: "We therefore ought to support such, that we may be fellow-workers for the truth." III, John 8.

J. J. O'G.

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ANCIENT BASILICA'S RUINS UNDER CATHEDRAL

By N. C. W. C. News Service

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